

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

HB 2114 - SB 2460

February 25, 2016

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires, rather than authorizes, the Division of Energy within the Department of Environment and Conservation to provide studies and analyses of energy information requested by the Governor or appropriate committees of the General Assembly to the general public on the Division's website, individual members of the General Assembly, and to other state and federal authorities if such authorities request the information.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 4-3-712(a)(2), the Division is currently required to provide studies and analyses of energy information that the Governor or appropriate committees of the General Assembly request. In addition, within limitation of funds, time and staff capabilities, the Division is authorized to provide such information for the general public, individual members of the General Assembly, and other state and federal authorities.
- The proposed legislation is assumed to not require the Division to conduct any additional studies and analysis. Studies and analysis that would be conducted under current law will be published on the Division's website and distributed to other interested parties.
- Any increase in expenditures to the Division is estimated to be not significant.

IMPACT TO COMMERCE:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- The Division of Energy will not conduct any additional studies and analysis. Information on studies and analysis that would be conducted under current law will be published on the Division's website and distributed to all interested parties.
- Any impact on commerce and jobs in the state is estimated to be not significant.

HB 2114 - SB 2460

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "Krista M. Lee". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

/bos